**Construction of Rajeev Sagar Project in Madhya Pradesh**

†2016. SHRIMATI MAYA SINGH: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that ongoing Rajiv Sagar (Bawan-thadi) project of Madhya Pradesh is an inter-State project;

(b) whether project work would not be completed on time due to delay in clearance of forest cases, land acquisition work and in providing share amount to Madhya Pradesh by the Maharashtra Government; and

(c) the measures being considered by the Central Government to do away the reasons of above delay to ensure timely completion of the above project?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI JAI PRAKASH NARAYAN YADAV): (a) Yes Sir;

(b) The project completion is delayed due to delay in clearance of forest cases and land acquisition work. The Government of Maharashtra has paid its share cost to the Government of Madhya Pradesh.

(c) The State Government has to obtain forest clearance and expidite land acquisition work. In order to expedite completion of project, the Government of India is providing Central assistance under AIBP to both the State Governments of Madhya Pradesh and Maharashtra.

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[MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN in the Chair]

**PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE**

**OUTCOME BUDGET (2008-2009) OF THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES**

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (PROF. SAIF-UD-DIN SOZ): Sir, I lay on the Table a copy (in English and Hindi) of the Outcome Budget for the year 2008-09 of the Ministry of Water Resources. [Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T. 8443/08].

**Outcome Budget (2008-09) of the Ministy of Culture and Ministry of Tourism [Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T. 8485/08]**

THE MINISTER OF TOURISM AND CULTURE (SHRIMATI AMBIKA SONI): Sir, I lay on the Table a copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers:

(i) Outcome Budget for the year 2008-09 of the Ministry of Culture; and [Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T. 8486/08].

(ii) Outcome Budget for the year 2008-09 of the Ministry of Tourism. [Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T. 8485/08].

**Outcome Budget (2008-09) of the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIMATI PANABAKA LAKSHMI): Sir, I lay on the Table a copy (in English and Hindi) of the Outcome Budget for the year 2008-09 of the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare. [Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T. 8347/08].

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†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi